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A. O. Carman, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.  
Morning preaching service at 11:00  
Morning subject: "This is That."  
Epworth League at 6:00 P. M.  
Union evening service at 7:00 P. M.  
Rev. Edgar W. Smith will preach  
Union Prayer meeting Thursday eve-  
ning at Baptist church.  
ALMENA, Sunday school at 1:00 P. M.  
Preaching at 2:15 P. M.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County  
of Van Buren, in the matter of the  
Estate of Charles G. Pierce, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that four  
months from the 22nd, day of Decem-  
ber, A. D. 1916, have been allowed for  
creditors to present their claims  
against said deceased to said court for  
examination and adjustment, and that  
all creditors of said deceased are re-  
quired to present their claims to said  
court at the probate office in the vil-  
lage of Paw Paw in said County, on or  
before the 30th, day of April, A. D. 1917,  
and that said claims will be  
heard by said Court on Monday the  
30th, day of April A. D. 1917, at ten  
o'clock in the forenoon.  
Dated, December 22nd, A. D. 1916.  
Wm. Killefer  
Judge of Probate

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

In The Circuit Court For The County  
Of Van Buren, In Chancery  
Ethel H. Hockett,

Plaintiff.

vs.  
Seburn W. Hockett,

Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for  
the County of Van Buren, in  
Chancery, at the Village of Paw Paw  
on the 23rd, day of December, 1916.  
In this cause it appearing from affi-  
davit on file that it cannot be ascer-  
tained after diligent search and in-  
quiry where the said defendant re-  
sides.

On motion of F. C. Cogshall, at-  
torney for plaintiff, it is ordered, that  
said defendant cause his appearance to  
be entered in this cause within  
three months from the date of this  
order, and in case of his appearance,  
he cause his answer to the Bill of  
Complaint to be filed and a copy  
thereof to be served on plaintiff's attor-  
ney within twenty days after service  
of said defendant of a copy of said  
bill and notice of this order, and that  
in default thereof said bill be taken  
as confessed.

It is further ordered, that within  
twenty days the plaintiff cause a no-  
tice of this order to be published in the  
True Northerner, a newspaper, printed  
and published in said County, and  
that such publication be continued  
therein at least once in each week for  
six weeks in succession, or that he  
cause a copy of this order to be per-  
sonally served on said non-resident  
defendant at least twenty days before  
the time above prescribed for his  
appearance.

L. Burget DesVoignes

F. C. Cogshall

Attorney for Plaintiff

Business Address

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4916

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for the collection of Paw Paw town-  
ship taxes.

E. Nash

45tf Township Treasurer

### ANTWERP TOWNSHIP TAXES

I will be at Juan McKeyes' Bank  
every Thursday; at A. H. Campbell's  
office, Mattawan, every Friday; and  
County Treasurer's office, Paw Paw,  
every Saturday, for the collection of  
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O. B. Wheeler,  
4743 Treasurer of Antwerp Township

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